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Applicants: Rogier Receveur et al.
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- X Preliminary Amendment**
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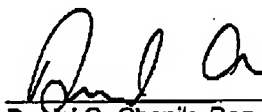
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IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please delete the following paragraph 35 on page 5:

As illustrated in FIGS. 2A-2B, the lead 10 may include a plurality of sensors 14A-14E, that can be arranged in any desired configuration. Such a combination of sensors provide an array that facilitate the sensing of, for example, a temperature gradient. Alternatively, different types of sensors may be employed in concert to detect any number and type of indicia. For example, both pressure and temperature may be sensed simultaneously.